

House File 311

H-1063

1 Amend the amendment, H-1058, to House File 311 as  
2 follows:

3 1. Page 1, after line 5 by inserting:

4 < \_\_\_\_\_. Page 3, after line 25 by inserting:

5 <Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 466B.3, subsection 4, Code 2013,  
6 is amended to read as follows:

7 4. *Membership.*

8 a. The voting members of the council shall consist  
9 of the following members:

10 ~~a.~~ (1) The director of the department of natural  
11 resources or the director's designee.

12 ~~b.~~ (2) The director of the soil conservation  
13 division of the department of agriculture and land  
14 stewardship or the director's designee.

15 ~~c.~~ (3) The director of the department of public  
16 health or the director's designee.

17 ~~d.~~ (4) The administrator of the homeland security  
18 and emergency management division of the department of  
19 public defense or the administrator's designee.

20 ~~e.~~ (5) The dean of the college of agriculture and  
21 life sciences at Iowa state university or the dean's  
22 designee.

23 ~~f.~~ (6) The dean of the college of public health at  
24 the university of Iowa or the dean's designee.

25 ~~g.~~ (7) The dean of the college of natural sciences  
26 at the university of northern Iowa or the dean's  
27 designee.

28 ~~h.~~ (8) The director of the department of  
29 transportation or the director's designee.

30 ~~i.~~ (9) The director of the economic development  
31 authority or the director's designee.

32 ~~j.~~ (10) The executive director of the Iowa finance  
33 authority or the executive director's designee.

34 ~~k.~~ (11) The secretary of agriculture, who shall be  
35 the chairperson, or the secretary's designee. As the  
36 chairperson, and in order to further the coordination  
37 efforts of the council, the secretary may invite  
38 representatives from any other public agency, private  
39 organization, business, citizen group, or nonprofit  
40 entity to give public input at council meetings,  
41 provided the entity has an interest in the coordinated  
42 management of land resources, soil conservation, flood  
43 mitigation, or water quality. The secretary shall also  
44 invite and solicit advice from the following:

45 (1) (a) The director of the Iowa water science  
46 center of the United States geological survey or the  
47 director's designee.

48 (2) (b) The state conservationist from the Iowa  
49 office of the United States department of agriculture's  
50 natural resources conservation service or the state

1 conservationist's designee.

2 ~~(3)~~ (c) The executive director for Iowa from the  
3 United States department of agriculture's farm services  
4 agency or the executive director's designee.

5 ~~(4)~~ (d) The state director for Iowa from the  
6 United States department of agriculture's office of  
7 rural development or the state director's designee.

8 ~~(5)~~ (e) The director of region seven of the  
9 United States environmental protection agency or the  
10 director's designee.

11 ~~(6)~~ (f) The corps commander from the United States  
12 army corps of engineers' Rock Island district or the  
13 commander's designee.

14 (g) The director of the center for agricultural  
15 and rural development at Iowa state university or the  
16 director's designee.

17 ~~(12)~~ (12) The dean of the college of engineering at  
18 the university of Iowa or the dean's designee.

19 (13) The executive director of conservation  
20 districts of Iowa or the executive director's designee.

21 b. The nonvoting members of the council shall  
22 include all of the following:

23 (1) Two members of the senate. One senator shall  
24 be appointed by the majority leader of the senate and  
25 one senator shall be appointed by the minority leader  
26 of the senate.

27 (2) Two members of the house of representatives.  
28 One member shall be appointed by the speaker of the  
29 house of representatives and one member shall be  
30 appointed by the minority leader of the house of  
31 representatives.

32 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 466B.3, subsection 6, Code 2013,  
33 is amended by adding the following new paragraph:

34 NEW PARAGRAPH. d. In coordination with the  
35 department of natural resources and the department of  
36 agriculture and land stewardship, the council shall  
37 review, amend, and approve the state nutrient reduction  
38 strategy. In reviewing and approving the strategy, the  
39 council shall ensure that all concerns raised by the  
40 United States environmental protection agency regarding  
41 the strategy are addressed. The department of natural  
42 resources and the department of land stewardship shall  
43 include in the final strategy any changes recommended  
44 by the council. In coordination with the department of  
45 natural resources and the department of agriculture and  
46 land stewardship, the council shall provide oversight  
47 of the implementation of the strategy.

48 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 466B.31, subsection 1, Code 2013,  
49 is amended to read as follows:

50 1. A watershed planning advisory council is

1 established for purposes of assembling a diverse  
2 group of stakeholders to review research and make  
3 recommendations to and collaborate with various  
4 state entities regarding methods to protect water  
5 resources in the state, assure an adequate supply of  
6 water, mitigate and prevent floods, and coordinate  
7 the management of those resources in a sustainable,  
8 fiscally responsible, and environmentally responsible  
9 manner. The advisory council may seek input from  
10 councils of governments or other organizations in the  
11 development of its recommendations. The advisory  
12 council shall meet once a year and at other times as  
13 deemed necessary to meet the requirements of this  
14 section. The advisory council may appoint a task  
15 force to assist the advisory council in completing its  
16 duties.

17 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 466B.31, subsection 2, paragraph  
18 a, subparagraph (12), Code 2013, is amended by striking  
19 the subparagraph.

20 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 466B.31, subsection 2, paragraph  
21 a, Code 2013, is amended by adding the following new  
22 subparagraphs:

23 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (20) One member selected by the  
24 women, food, and agriculture network.

25 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (21) One member selected by the  
26 midwest office of the environmental working group.

27 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (22) One member selected by  
28 practical farmers of Iowa.

29 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (23) One member selected by the  
30 Iowa farmers union.

31 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (24) One member selected by the  
32 Iowa association of county conservation boards.

33 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (25) One member selected by the  
34 Iowa association of water agencies.

35 NEW SUBPARAGRAPH. (26) One member selected by  
36 watershed management authorities created pursuant to  
37 section 466B.22.

38 Sec. \_\_\_\_\_. Section 466B.31, subsection 2, paragraph  
39 b, Code 2013, is amended by striking the paragraph.>

40 \_\_\_\_\_. By renumbering as necessary.>

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